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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT : Wolfgang Barnikol
SERIAL NO. : 08/869,406
FILED : June 5, 1997
FOR : METHOD FOR THE PREPARATION OF MOLECULARLY
UNIFORM HYPERPOLYMERIC HEMOGLOBINS
EXAMINER : Anish Gupta GROUP: 1654

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

BOX: AF

A M E N D M E N T Under 37 C.F.R. §116

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 5, 1998,
please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

In The Claims:

Claim 6, line 2, after "containing" insert
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REMARKS

Entry of the foregoing Amendment is respectfully
requested. The Amendment is believed to place the application in
~~condition for allowance and, therefore, it is respectfully~~
submitted that the entry of the Amendment is appropriate under